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CITY DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILES: OLDER ADULT SUBSET

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Introduction to the City Demographic Profiles

History

The Community Health Statistics Unit (CHSU), under the Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA) Public Health Services Division, was formed in 2005 to provide a single point of contact for public health data and support to the HHSA Regions and their communities. CHSU generates publications including: the Community Health Profiles, topic specific reports (e.g., older adult falls, economic burden of disease, health disparities, and health status), health briefs, fact sheets, atlases, and the demographic profiles, all of which are available at www.sdhealthstatistics.com.

The City *Demographic Profiles* are a compilation of information relating to demographic characteristics of specific populations in San Diego County. Each profile contains demographic data for municipalities (incorporated cities) including age, sex, race/ethnicity distributions, school enrollment, educational attainment, income, occupation, housing, and other social/economic data. Many of these factors have been implicated at the roots of health disparities.

The purpose of the City Demographic Profiles is to provide detailed information about the characteristics of the people living in San Diego County. It is designed to help HHSA staff in each of the Health and Human Services Agency Regions and other local organizations, including *Live Well San Diego* recognized partners, identify and prioritize needs within their communities. These profiles are made available to the public health community and public policymakers to better understand and manage the health and well-being of the residents of our County.

Source of Data

The Census is conducted every 10 years to provide an official count of the entire population in the United States to Congress. The American Community Survey (ACS), on the other hand, is conducted every year by the U.S. Census Bureau to provide more current estimates of the population. The ACS collects sociodemographic and economic data annually; topics include educational attainment, income, poverty, disability, health insurance, workforce and more to describe the population living in the United States. Per Title 13, U.S. Code, completing either or both the Census and the ACS is required by law if your household is selected. Personal identification is protected, but data in aggregate form is released to provide information needed for planning purposes and programs.

If you are looking for official population totals, the U.S. Census Bureau recommends using the 2010 or 2020 Census. However, the ACS provides a more current picture of the population and population characteristics. While ACS estimates are derived from a much smaller sample, data are collected from a representative sample of the population in the nation. Because ACS variables may change over time, some areas and subjects must be compared with caution, or not compared at all.

The Census Bureau recommends that you[1,2]:

- DO compare similar period lengths, for example, 5-year to 5-year.
- DON'T compare estimates from different period lengths, for example, 1-year to 5-year.
- DO compare estimates from non-overlapping periods, for example, compare a 2011-2015 ACS 5-year estimate to a 2016-2020 ACS 5-year estimate.
- DON'T compare overlapping periods, for example, the 2015-2019 ACS 5-year estimates to the 2016-2020 ACS 5-year estimates.

Why use 5-year estimates?[1,2]

- Cover 60 months of collected data; for example, from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2020.
- Data is collected for all areas (including census blocks and tracts), which makes this the largest sample size
- Most reliable, but least current
- Released every year since 2009

More American Community Survey (ACS) data available online at https://data.census.gov/.

For more information regarding the methodology of the ACS Survey, please go to https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/methodology.html.

Methodology

Data is downloaded for each of the 18 incorporated cities in San Diego County, California, and the United States. Wherever possible, the data for the Unincorporated Area of San Diego, which is managed by San Diego County is derived from the data available.

Please note that the indicators in the demographic profiles are reviewed every year. Indicators will be added per number of requests showing the need for these to be included and/or modified as needed.

For the 2016-2020 version, a detailed indicator on households by household income was added.

References:

1. https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/guidance/comparing-acs-data.html
2. https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/guidance/estimates.html

For researchers: The U.S. Census Bureau publishes a margin of error (MOE) for each ACS estimate. For the purposes of these profiles, the MOEs are not considered as these are the best estimates for our geographies.

Please visit the County of San Diego's data access portal to download demographic profile data and/or health outcome data: https://data.sandiegocounty.gov.

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Total Population by Age Group

This indicator shows the number and percent of the population by age group in each geography.

How to interpret these data: In 2020, 14.1% (467,737) of San Diego County's population was 65 years and over.

Geography	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
City of Carlsbad	5,572	4.9%	15,627	13.7%	12,971	11.3%	27,988	24.5%	33,337	29.1%	18,916	16.5%
City of Chula Vista	16,962	6.3%	37,491	13.9%	36,760	13.7%	78,198	29.1%	66,977	24.9%	32,391	12.1%
City of Coronado	963	3.9%	2,697	11.0%	4,368	17.8%	5,683	23.2%	5,775	23.5%	5,040	20.5%
City of Del Mar	65	1.5%	329	7.6%	196	4.5%	714	16.5%	1,684	38.9%	1,343	31.0%
City of El Cajon	7,723	7.5%	14,408	14.0%	13,265	12.8%	29,963	29.0%	24,753	24.0%	13,137	12.7%
City of Encinitas	3,553	5.6%	7,329	11.6%	5,975	9.5%	16,101	25.6%	18,322	29.1%	11,687	18.6%
City of Escondido	10,307	6.9%	19,888	13.2%	20,372	13.5%	43,249	28.8%	36,917	24.5%	19,663	13.1%
City of Imperial Beach	1,921	7.0%	3,587	13.1%	4,296	15.7%	8,830	32.3%	5,936	21.7%	2,764	10.1%
City of La Mesa	4,563	7.6%	6,243	10.4%	6,868	11.4%	19,727	32.8%	14,025	23.3%	8,782	14.6%
City of Lemon Grove	1,637	6.1%	3,762	14.1%	3,235	12.1%	7,837	29.3%	6,534	24.4%	3,734	14.0%
City of National City	3,061	5.0%	7,113	11.6%	10,904	17.8%	18,230	29.7%	13,511	22.0%	8,523	13.9%
City of Oceanside	10,782	6.1%	21,781	12.4%	22,166	12.6%	50,410	28.7%	43,272	24.6%	27,283	15.5%
City of Poway	3,055	6.1%	6,809	13.7%	5,069	10.2%	11,827	23.8%	13,865	27.9%	9,155	18.4%
City of San Diego	81,652	5.8%	152,319	10.8%	197,629	14.0%	470,348	33.3%	324,685	23.0%	187,912	13.3%
City of San Marcos	6,924	7.2%	15,015	15.6%	13,434	14.0%	27,008	28.1%	21,611	22.5%	12,227	12.7%
City of Santee	3,756	6.5%	6,882	12.0%	6,661	11.6%	16,398	28.6%	14,931	26.0%	8,779	15.3%
City of Solana Beach	643	4.8%	1,758	13.2%	1,074	8.1%	3,002	22.6%	3,934	29.6%	2,890	21.7%
City of Vista	7,432	7.4%	13,236	13.1%	15,058	15.0%	29,813	29.6%	24,398	24.2%	10,722	10.7%
Unincorporated	35,183	6.9%	59,725	11.7%	77,009	15.0%	129,182	25.2%	128,195	25.0%	82,789	16.2%
San Diego County	205,754	6.2%	395,999	11.9%	457,310	13.8%	994,508	29.9%	802,662	24.1%	467,737	14.1%
California	2,409,082	6.1%	5,029,090	12.8%	5,242,708	13.3%	11,241,816	28.6%	9,778,830	24.9%	5,644,497	14.3%
United States	19,650,192	6.0%	41,086,949	12.6%	42,995,333	13.2%	86,831,842	26.6%	83,642,175	25.6%	52,362,817	16.0%

Percent of Population by Age Group and Municipality, 2020

Legend: ■ 0-4 % ■ 5-14 % ■ 15-24 % ■ 25-44 % ■ 45-64 % ■ 65+ %
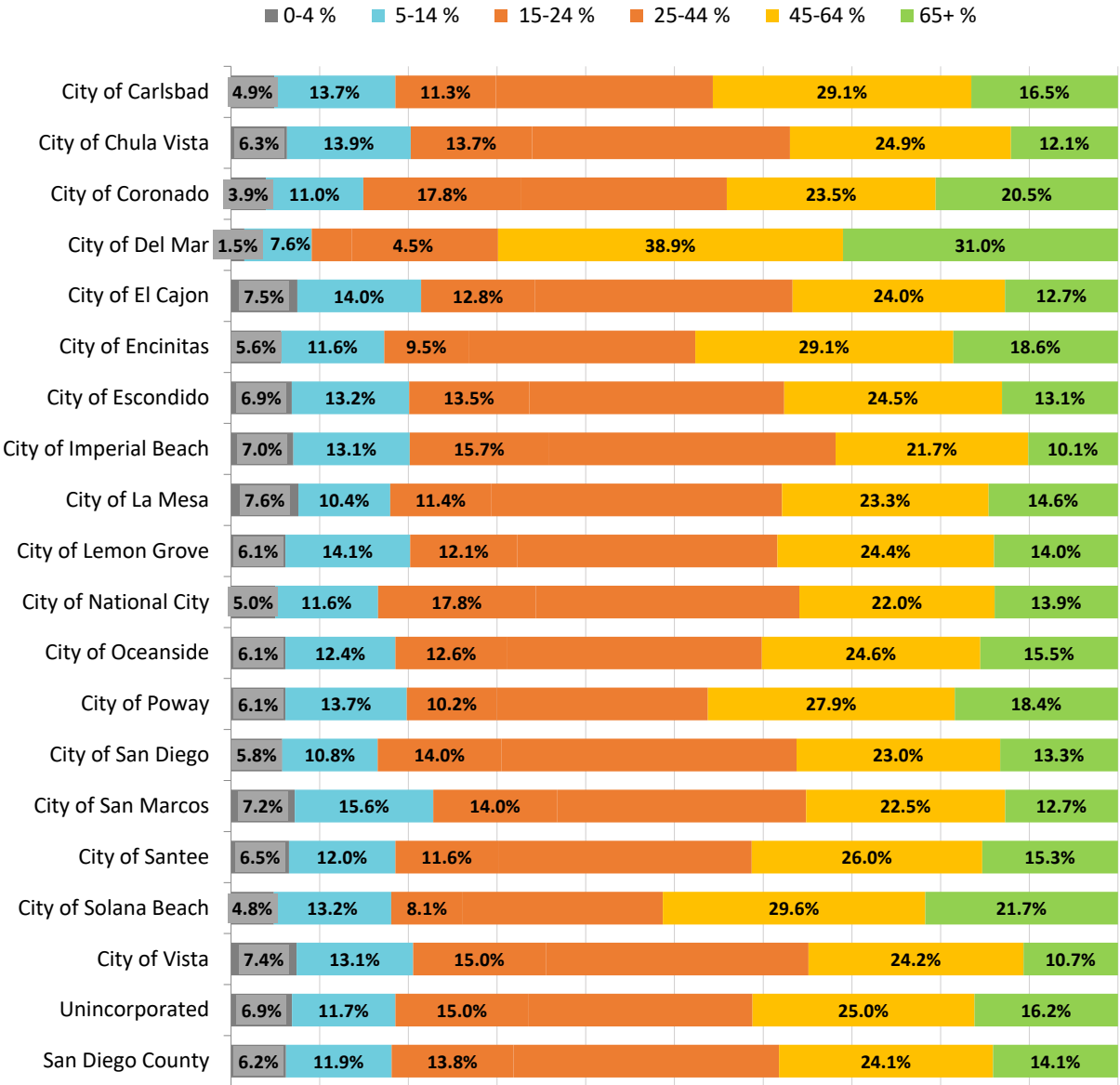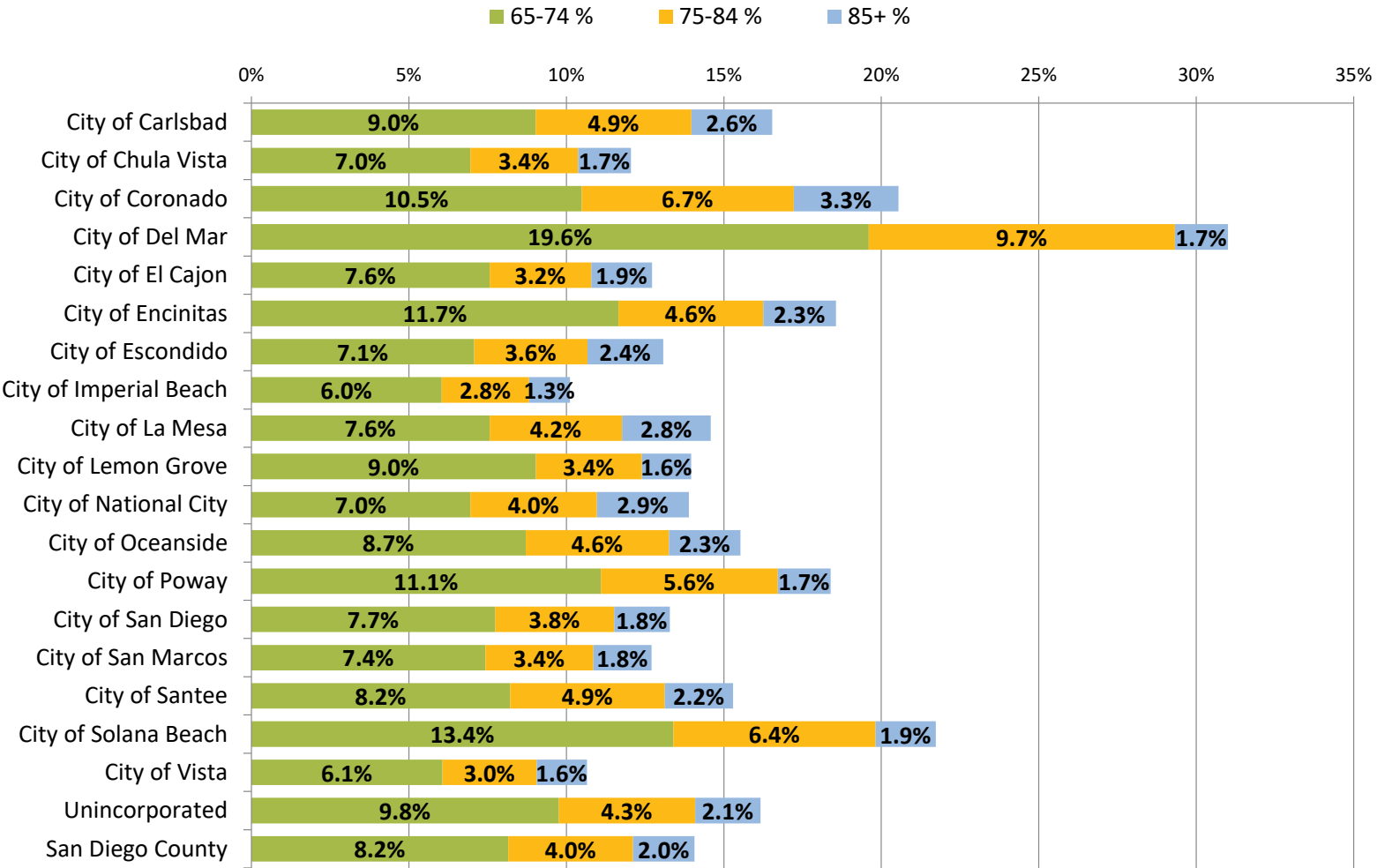
Older Adult Population by Age Group

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B01001.

This indicator shows the older adult population by age group. Number (#) represents the number of people in that age group. Percentage (%) represents the percentage the age group makes up out of the total population in the geography.

How to interpret these data: In 2020, 8.2% of San Diego County's population were between the ages of 65-74, 4.0% were between 75-84, and 2.0% were 85 years and over.

Geography	Total Population	65-74		75-84		85+	
	#	#	%	#	%	#	%
City of Carlsbad	114,411	10,329	9.0%	5,660	4.9%	2,927	2.6%
City of Chula Vista	268,779	18,692	7.0%	9,194	3.4%	4,505	1.7%
City of Coronado	24,526	2,572	10.5%	1,651	6.7%	817	3.3%
City of Del Mar	4,331	849	19.6%	421	9.7%	73	1.7%
City of El Cajon	103,249	7,811	7.6%	3,332	3.2%	1,994	1.9%
City of Encinitas	62,967	7,342	11.7%	2,891	4.6%	1,454	2.3%
City of Escondido	150,396	10,638	7.1%	5,413	3.6%	3,612	2.4%
City of Imperial Beach	27,334	1,652	6.0%	759	2.8%	353	1.3%
City of La Mesa	60,208	4,554	7.6%	2,534	4.2%	1,694	2.8%
City of Lemon Grove	26,739	2,415	9.0%	900	3.4%	419	1.6%
City of National City	61,342	4,267	7.0%	2,461	4.0%	1,795	2.9%
City of Oceanside	175,694	15,303	8.7%	8,000	4.6%	3,980	2.3%
City of Poway	49,780	5,524	11.1%	2,795	5.6%	836	1.7%
City of San Diego	1,414,545	109,495	7.7%	53,419	3.8%	24,998	1.8%
City of San Marcos	96,219	7,146	7.4%	3,301	3.4%	1,780	1.8%
City of Santee	57,407	4,720	8.2%	2,815	4.9%	1,244	2.2%
City of Solana Beach	13,301	1,782	13.4%	854	6.4%	254	1.9%
City of Vista	100,659	6,105	6.1%	3,016	3.0%	1,601	1.6%
Unincorporated	512,083	49,962	9.8%	22,203	4.3%	10,624	2.1%
San Diego County	3,323,970	271,158	8.2%	131,619	4.0%	64,960	2.0%
California	39,346,023	3,270,380	8.3%	1,609,373	4.1%	764,744	1.9%
United States	326,569,308	30,547,950	9.4%	15,193,051	4.7%	6,621,816	2.0%

Percent* of Older Adult Population by Age Group and Municipality, 2020

Legend: 65-74 %, 75-84 %, 85+ %

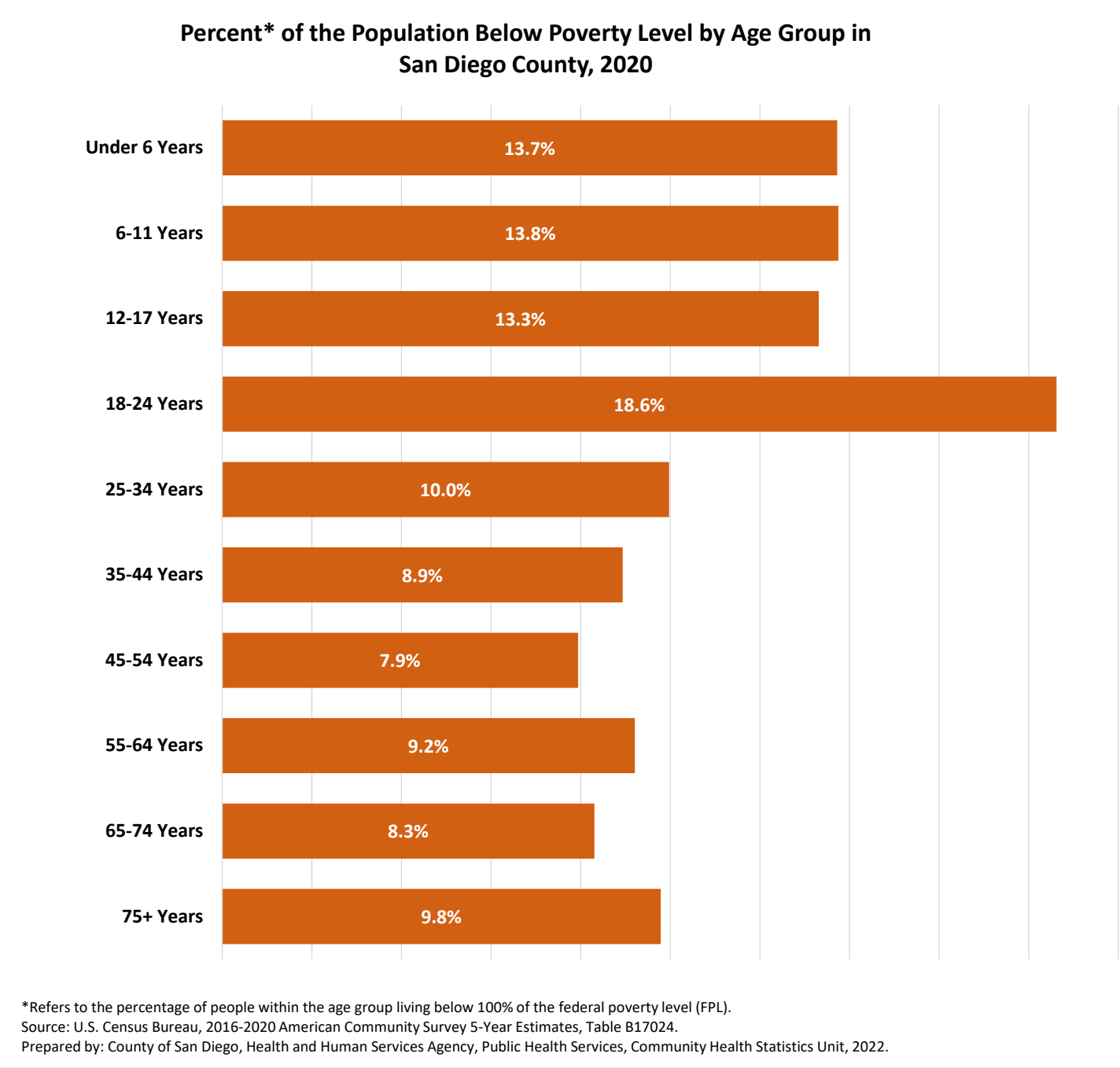| Geography	65-74 %	75-84 %	85+ %
City of Carlsbad	9.0%	4.9%	2.6%
City of Chula Vista	7.0%	3.4%	1.7%
City of Coronado	10.5%	6.7%	3.3%
City of Del Mar	19.6%	9.7%	1.7%
City of El Cajon	7.6%	3.2%	1.9%
City of Encinitas	11.7%	4.6%	2.3%
City of Escondido	7.1%	3.6%	2.4%
City of Imperial Beach	6.0%	2.8%	1.3%
City of La Mesa	7.6%	4.2%	2.8%
City of Lemon Grove	9.0%	3.4%	1.6%
City of National City	7.0%	4.0%	2.9%
City of Oceanside	8.7%	4.6%	2.3%
City of Poway	11.1%	5.6%	1.7%
City of San Diego	7.7%	3.8%	1.8%
City of San Marcos	7.4%	3.4%	1.8%
City of Santee	8.2%	4.9%	2.2%
City of Solana Beach	13.4%	6.4%	1.9%
City of Vista	6.1%	3.0%	1.6%
Unincorporated	9.8%	4.3%	2.1%
San Diego County	8.2%	4.0%	2.0%

*Percent out of the total population.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau; 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B01001.
Prepared by: County of San Diego, Health and Human Services Agency, Public Health Services, Community Health Statistics Unit, 2022.

Population, by Age Group, Living Below 100% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)*

Geography	Under 6 Years	6-11 Years	12-17 Years	18-24 Years	25-34 Years	35-44 Years	45-54 Years	55-64 Years	65-74 Years	75+ Years
City of Carlsbad	8.9%	2.8%	6.5%	13.8%	4.7%	5.5%	6.2%	9.4%	4.7%	4.6%
City of Chula Vista	11.7%	11.1%	11.7%	10.3%	9.8%	7.4%	6.3%	9.8%	9.6%	12.0%
City of Coronado	2.8%	3.5%	5.5%	10.2%	9.8%	5.4%	5.5%	6.0%	2.6%	6.3%
City of Del Mar	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	30.7%	2.0%	5.6%	2.2%	2.8%
City of El Cajon	27.7%	28.4%	24.4%	18.4%	14.5%	22.0%	18.8%	12.3%	16.1%	15.5%
City of Encinitas	14.5%	9.7%	8.0%	7.0%	9.0%	6.7%	4.1%	5.3%	7.0%	5.5%
City of Escondido	17.1%	18.4%	19.3%	14.3%	12.6%	13.5%	9.8%	11.8%	8.3%	14.0%
City of Imperial Beach	23.8%	21.7%	23.9%	33.5%	11.9%	12.5%	10.6%	5.9%	12.3%	16.5%
City of La Mesa	18.6%	12.0%	17.6%	26.9%	8.4%	8.5%	9.3%	12.1%	8.4%	10.4%
City of Lemon Grove	19.0%	13.1%	17.2%	10.6%	8.1%	8.3%	10.8%	14.0%	9.6%	3.8%
City of National City	19.4%	26.4%	24.7%	15.3%	10.0%	14.7%	13.3%	16.8%	11.3%	19.1%
City of Oceanside	12.2%	15.7%	16.6%	10.0%	8.7%	9.0%	7.9%	6.0%	7.5%	9.0%
City of Poway	5.0%	4.0%	5.0%	7.3%	7.0%	4.4%	2.7%	5.7%	2.4%	6.6%
City of San Diego	12.8%	14.4%	14.4%	26.6%	10.0%	8.7%	8.3%	9.4%	8.8%	10.3%
City of San Marcos	10.2%	8.1%	7.6%	18.5%	15.6%	4.5%	6.4%	11.8%	8.1%	11.7%
City of Santee	11.9%	9.4%	7.1%	9.8%	9.9%	6.5%	4.8%	7.7%	7.1%	8.6%
City of Solana Beach	0.0%	0.0%	3.4%	16.5%	3.0%	5.2%	2.1%	9.2%	3.2%	6.0%
City of Vista	18.6%	19.6%	13.0%	6.8%	11.3%	10.3%	7.8%	9.7%	11.9%	6.7%
Unincorporated	13.6%	12.0%	9.7%	9.2%	8.9%	8.4%	7.1%	7.8%	7.1%	7.7%
San Diego County	13.7%	13.8%	13.3%	18.6%	10.0%	8.9%	7.9%	9.2%	8.3%	9.8%
California	17.0%	17.2%	16.2%	18.5%	11.1%	10.8%	9.3%	10.2%	9.4%	11.6%
United States	18.9%	17.9%	15.7%	20.3%	12.4%	10.7%	9.3%	10.3%	8.6%	10.4%

*This indicator provides the percentage of the population within specified age groups that living in poverty. Poverty status was only determined for people not institutionalized, living in military group quarters, in college dormitories, and/or people ages 0-14 living alone or with unrelated roommates (not family).

Poverty status is determined by matching people's annual income before tax to sets of dollar amounts (also known as poverty thresholds) which will vary depending on the number of people in the family, number of children under the age of 18, and the age of householder (i.e., under age 65 or over age 65). If the annual income before tax is under the dollar amount for their threshold, the family and everyone in it living in the same household are determined to be in poverty. The income of anyone else living in the house not related, or in the family, is not considered for this threshold. In fact, these individuals would be compared to their own poverty threshold. In order to account for changes in cost of living year to year, poverty thresholds are updated every year by the Census Bureau per the Consumer Price Index (CPI-U). Poverty thresholds are the same for all geographies in the United States. While cost of living may differ geographically, these thresholds do not.

How to interpret these data: An estimated 13.7% of children under the age of 6 were below the poverty level, compared with 9.8% of people 75 years old and over in San Diego County in 2020.
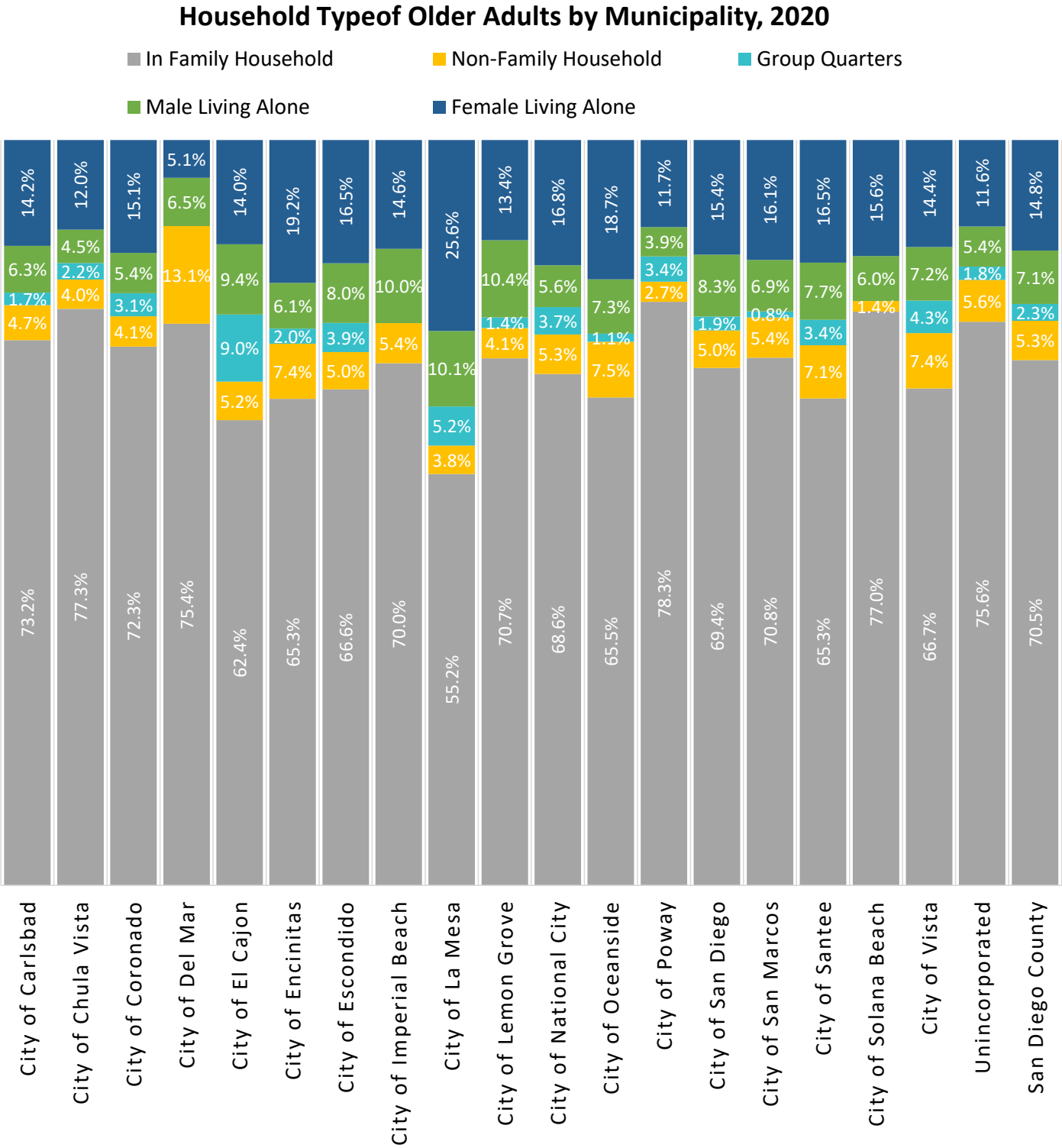
Percent* of the Population Below Poverty Level by Age Group in San Diego County, 2020

Age Group	Percent
Under 6 Years	13.7%
6-11 Years	13.8%
12-17 Years	13.3%
18-24 Years	18.6%
25-34 Years	10.0%
35-44 Years	8.9%
45-54 Years	7.9%
55-64 Years	9.2%
65-74 Years	8.3%
75+ Years	9.8%

*Refers to the percentage of people within the age group living below 100% of the federal poverty level (FPL).
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B17024.
Prepared by: County of San Diego, Health and Human Services Agency, Public Health Services, Community Health Statistics Unit, 2022.

Older Adults by Household Type

Geography	Population Age 65+	In Family Household	Non-Family Household	Group Quarters	Male Living Alone	Female Living Alone
City of Carlsbad	18,916	73.2%	4.7%	1.7%	6.3%	14.2%
City of Chula Vista	32,391	77.3%	4.0%	2.2%	4.5%	12.0%
City of Coronado	5,040	72.3%	4.1%	3.1%	5.4%	15.1%
City of Del Mar	1,343	75.4%	13.1%	0.0%	6.5%	5.1%
City of El Cajon	13,137	62.4%	5.2%	9.0%	9.4%	14.0%
City of Encinitas	11,687	65.3%	7.4%	2.0%	6.1%	19.2%
City of Escondido	19,663	66.6%	5.0%	3.9%	8.0%	16.5%
City of Imperial Beach	2,764	70.0%	5.4%	0.0%	10.0%	14.6%
City of La Mesa	8,782	55.2%	3.8%	5.2%	10.1%	25.6%
City of Lemon Grove	3,734	70.7%	4.1%	1.4%	10.4%	13.4%
City of National City	8,523	68.6%	5.3%	3.7%	5.6%	16.8%
City of Oceanside	27,283	65.5%	7.5%	1.1%	7.3%	18.7%
City of Poway	9,155	78.3%	2.7%	3.4%	3.9%	11.7%
City of San Diego	187,912	69.4%	5.0%	1.9%	8.3%	15.4%
City of San Marcos	12,227	70.8%	5.4%	0.8%	6.9%	16.1%
City of Santee	8,779	65.3%	7.1%	3.4%	7.7%	16.5%
City of Solana Beach	2,890	77.0%	1.4%	0.0%	6.0%	15.6%
City of Vista	10,722	66.7%	7.4%	4.3%	7.2%	14.4%
Unincorporated	82,789	75.6%	5.6%	1.8%	5.4%	11.6%
San Diego County	467,737	70.5%	5.3%	2.3%	7.1%	14.8%
California	5,644,497	70.7%	4.6%	2.5%	7.2%	15.0%
United States	52,362,817	67.2%	3.6%	2.9%	8.5%	17.8%

This indicator explores the type of household that older adults, ages 65+, lived in. Types of households are classified by presence of relatives. Please note that estimates from other American Community Survey (ACS) tables may differ depending on the categories included in that table; this is because the percentage of older adults by households type data presented here includes the older adult population living in group quarters (college residence halls, residential treatment centers, skilled nursing facilities, group homes, military barracks, correctional facilities, workers' dormitories, and facilities for people experiencing homelessness).

How to interpret these data: Of older adults ages 65 years and over in San Diego County in 2020, 70.5% lived in a family household. However, over one-fifth (22.0%) of the older adult population was living alone (14.8% female and 7.1% male).

Household Type of Older Adults by Municipality, 2020

Legend: In Family Household · Non-Family Household · Group Quarters · Male Living Alone · Female Living Alone

Geography	Older Adults, Aged 65+		
	In Labor Force	Living below 100% FPL	Living below 200% FPL
City of Carlsbad	19.7%	4.6%	15.8%
City of Chula Vista	16.8%	10.6%	25.6%
City of Coronado	18.6%	4.4%	13.2%
City of Del Mar	26.4%	2.5%	7.9%
City of El Cajon	18.4%	15.9%	38.2%
City of Encinitas	21.4%	6.5%	14.9%
City of Escondido	19.4%	10.9%	31.5%
City of Imperial Beach	21.7%	14.0%	34.8%
City of La Mesa	19.0%	9.3%	28.4%
City of Lemon Grove	15.2%	7.6%	25.5%
City of National City	16.1%	15.2%	40.7%
City of Oceanside	18.4%	8.2%	25.6%
City of Poway	19.6%	4.0%	15.5%
City of San Diego	18.5%	9.5%	24.8%
City of San Marcos	18.9%	9.6%	28.1%
City of Santee	16.3%	7.8%	23.6%
City of Solana Beach	21.9%	4.3%	15.1%
City of Vista	15.8%	9.7%	27.6%
Unincorporated	18.8%	7.3%	20.2%
San Diego County	18.5%	8.9%	24.2%
California	18.8%	10.3%	27.1%
United States	18.4%	9.3%	27.4%

This indicator explores income and poverty in the older adult population (residents age 65 years and over). The labor force is the percentage who remain in the labor force* and the second is the percentage who live in poverty using two federal poverty levels (FPLs), below 100% and 200% FPL.

*In labor force refer to persons who were working or actively looking for work. It excludes active-duty military personnel and the institutionalized population, such as prison inmates.
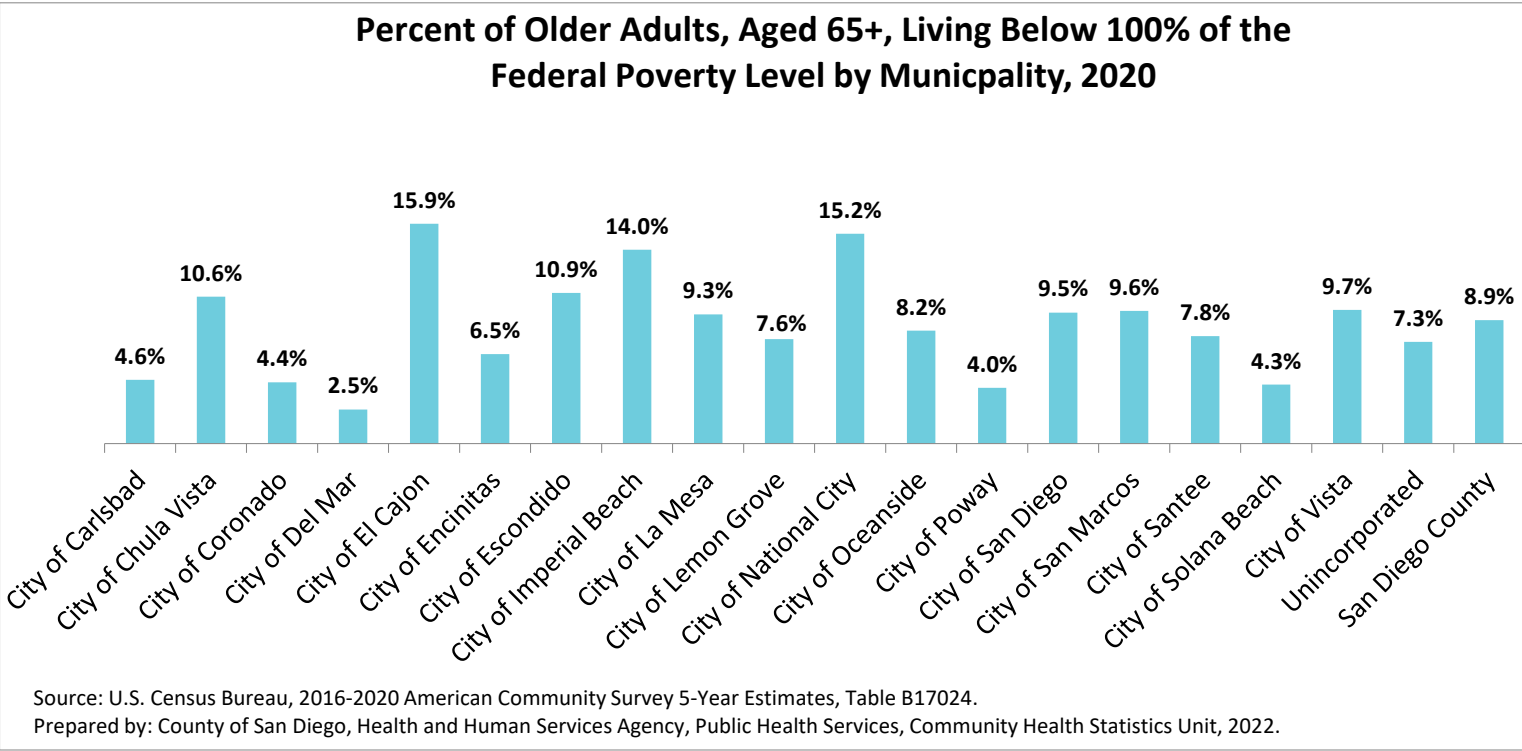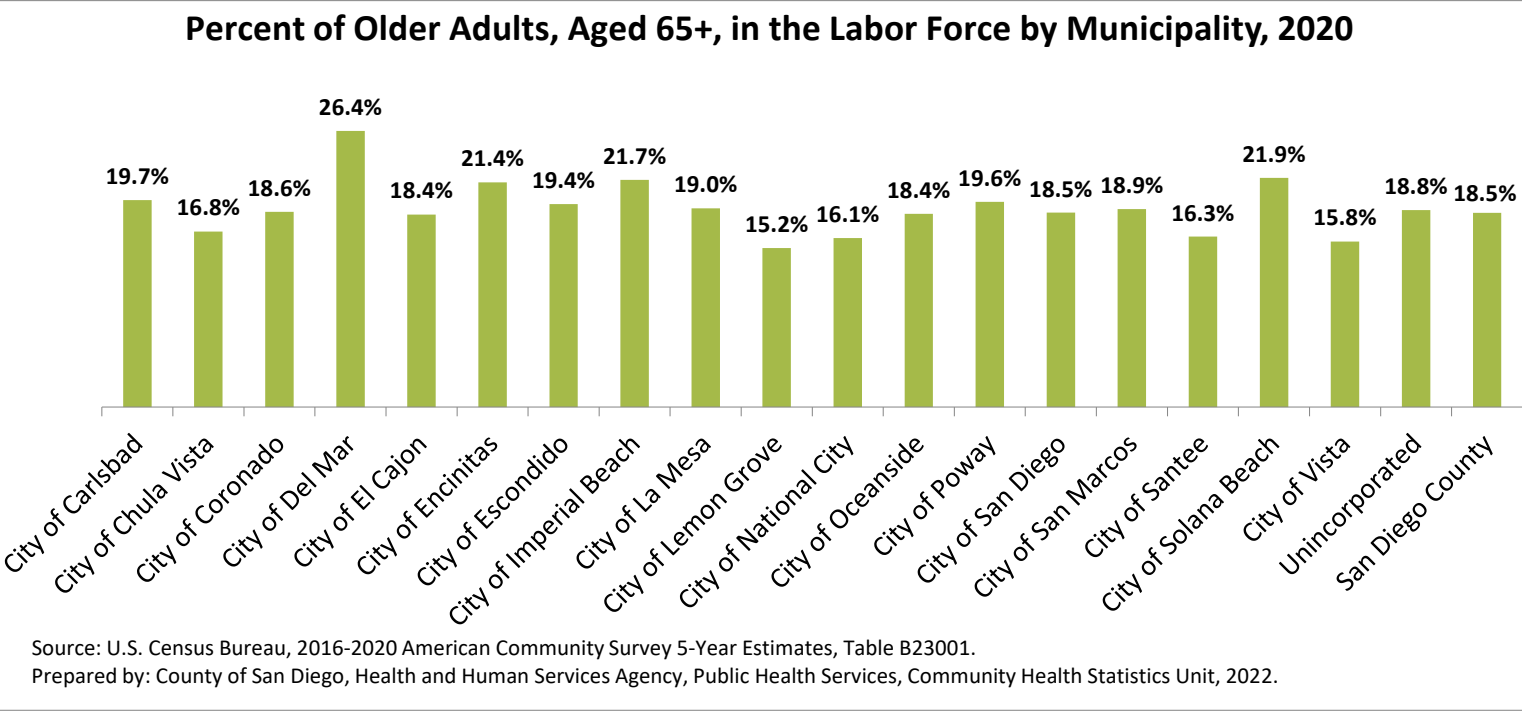
How to interpret these data: In 2020 in San Diego County, 18.5% of older adults, ages 65+, remained in the labor force.

Poverty status is determined by matching people's annual income before tax to sets of dollar amounts (also known as poverty thresholds) which will vary depending on the number of people in the family, number of children under the age of 18, and the age of householder (i.e., under age 65 or over age 65). Poverty status was determined for all people except institutionalized people, people in military group quarters, people in college dormitories, and unrelated individuals under 15 years old. These groups were excluded from the numerator and denominator for calculations.

*Federal Poverty levels (FPL) refer to a measure of income used to assess how low or high income individuals have. FPL is used to determine eligibility for certain government programs and/or benefits that are income-based.

Please note that those with income below 100%FPL are included in the living below 200% FPL category and have much lower income.

How to interpret these data: In 2020 in San Diego County, an estimated 8.9% of people age 65 years and over had incomes below the Federal Poverty Level.

Percent of Older Adults, Aged 65+, in the Labor Force by Municipality, 2020

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B23001.
Prepared by: County of San Diego, Health and Human Services Agency, Public Health Services, Community Health Statistics Unit, 2022.

Percent of Older Adults, Aged 65+, Living Below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level by Municpality, 2020

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B17024.
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Population with a Disability by Age Group*

Geography	Under 5 Years		5-17 Years		18-34 Years		35-64 Years		65-74 Years		75+ Years	
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
City of Carlsbad	5	0.1%	897	4.3%	938	4.9%	2,990	6.1%	1,478	14.4%	3,529	42.4%
City of Chula Vista	48	0.3%	2,030	4.1%	2,916	4.7%	9,270	8.9%	4,078	22.0%	7,273	54.1%
City of Coronado	0	0.0%	161	4.5%	156	5.3%	430	5.7%	348	13.9%	804	33.7%
City of Del Mar	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	122	6.0%	71	8.4%	149	30.2%
City of El Cajon	45	0.6%	1,237	6.7%	1,645	6.5%	5,005	13.2%	2,629	35.3%	2,793	58.2%
City of Encinitas	27	0.8%	372	3.8%	325	3.1%	990	3.7%	1,218	16.7%	2,233	53.2%
City of Escondido	0	0.0%	966	3.8%	2,300	6.0%	5,837	10.5%	2,407	23.0%	4,678	54.2%
City of Imperial Beach	19	1.0%	232	5.1%	431	5.6%	1,049	10.9%	486	29.4%	576	51.8%
City of La Mesa	11	0.2%	516	6.6%	859	5.4%	2,482	11.3%	933	21.2%	2,090	53.1%
City of Lemon Grove	0	0.0%	144	3.1%	290	4.7%	1,378	13.8%	819	34.1%	870	67.3%
City of National City	0	0.0%	286	3.1%	761	5.3%	2,374	11.8%	1,079	25.6%	2,537	62.2%
City of Oceanside	138	1.3%	1,351	5.0%	2,447	5.8%	7,544	11.6%	3,890	25.5%	6,229	52.5%
City of Poway	23	0.8%	420	5.0%	402	4.5%	1,294	6.5%	882	16.3%	1,609	46.6%
City of San Diego	492	0.6%	8,671	4.4%	16,173	4.1%	42,675	8.3%	21,885	20.1%	38,021	49.3%
City of San Marcos	8	0.1%	605	3.3%	1,179	5.3%	2,700	7.5%	1,523	21.3%	2,599	51.7%
City of Santee	19	0.5%	332	3.6%	841	7.1%	2,610	11.9%	1,250	27.4%	1,976	50.4%
City of Solana Beach	0	0.0%	52	2.5%	9	0.5%	139	2.4%	130	7.3%	334	30.1%
City of Vista	49	0.7%	441	2.5%	1,234	4.7%	2,472	6.7%	1,194	20.1%	1,884	42.8%
Unincorporated	120	0.3%	3,576	4.6%	6,269	6.1%	17,808	9.9%	9,503	19.2%	14,379	44.3%
San Diego County	1,004	0.5%	22,289	4.4%	39,175	4.8%	109,169	8.9%	55,803	20.8%	94,563	49.2%
California	16,923	0.7%	289,883	4.4%	499,087	5.2%	1,445,493	9.7%	742,749	22.9%	1,152,816	49.9%
United States	136,688	0.7%	3,029,868	5.7%	4,865,509	6.6%	15,365,708	12.5%	7,359,873	24.4%	10,028,815	48.1%

This indicator provides number and percentage of persons with a disability (one or more) within each age group. Disability status is determined for the civilian noninstitutionalized population who responded to questions regarding six types of difficulty.
Refers to the percent of those with a disability within the specific age group.

Limitation: Data is specific to the civilian noninstitutionalized population. Disability distributions in some types of group quarter (GQ) populations may differ from that in the household population; therefore, the inclusion of the noninstitutionalized GQ population could have a noticeable effect in the disability distribution, particularly in areas with large noninstitutionalized GQ population.

How to interpret these data: The likelihood of having a disability increased as age increased - in San Diego County in 2020, less than 1% of people under age 5 had a disability, compared to half (49.2%) of the population 75 years and over.

Grandparents Living with Grandchildren Under 18 Years by Responsibility for Grandchildren

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B10051.

Please note that there was a change in methodology to estimate the percentage of grandparents living and/or responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years. Therefore, this data cannot be compared to past years of demographic profiles. This indicator was modified from previous years to increase clarity and ease of use. If you need previous years, please contact Community Health Statistics Unit or the author directly.
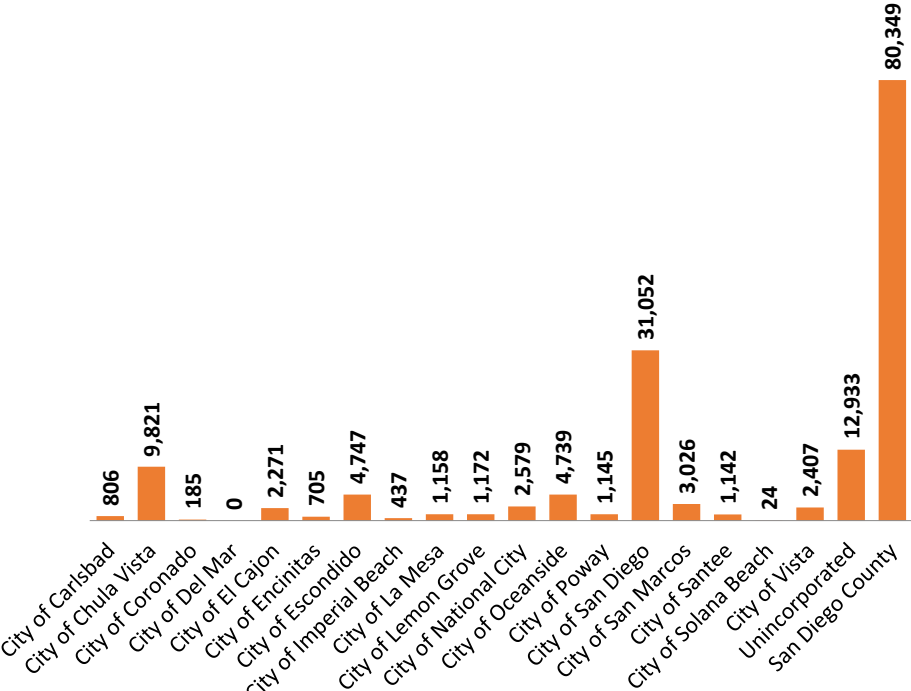
Grandparent Living with a Grandchild in the Household – People 15 years and over were asked if they had "any of his/her own grandchildren under the age of 18 living in this house or apartment." Due to low numbers of persons under 30 years old living with their grandchildren, data is only for people 30 and over.
Responsibility for Basic Needs – This question determines if the grandparent is financially responsible for food, shelter, clothing, day care, etc., for any or all grandchildren living in the household. Responsibility was further classified by presence of grandchild('s) parents.

This table shows the number of grandparents 30 years or older living with own grandchildren under 18 years in households by responsibility for grandchildren with or without a parent present. Additionally, it breaks down grandparents living with and those responsible for their grandchildren without a parent present by age group.

How to interpret these data: In San Diego County in 2020, 80,349 grandparents lived with their grandchild or grandchildren under 18 years old. Of those grandparents, 24.2% were responsible for the basic needs of their grandchildren (includes those with parent of child present).
How to interpret these data: Of the 80,349 grandparents who lived with their grandchild or grandchildren under 18 years old in San Diego County in 2020, 5.2% were responsible for grandchildren without a parent present. Of these, 70.0% were grandparents 60 years and over and 30.0% were 30 to 59 years old.
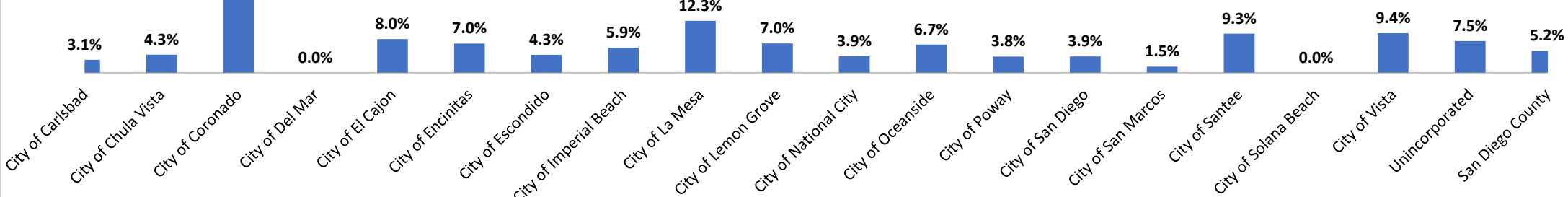
Geography	Number of Grandparents Living with Grandchildren*	Grandparent Responsible for Grandchild	Percent Grandparent Responsible for Grandchild	Grandparent Responsible for Grandchild Without a Parent Present	Of Grandparents Living with Grandchildren, Percent Responsible for Grandchild Without a Parent Present	Living with Grandchild, by Age		Responsible Without Parent Present	
						Grandparent Ages 30-59	Grandparent Ages 60+	Grandparent Ages 30-59	Grandparent Ages 60+
City of Carlsbad	806	172	21.3%	25	3.1%	221	585	0.0%	100.0%
City of Chula Vista	9,821	1,736	17.7%	424	4.3%	3,070	6,751	22.2%	77.8%
City of Coronado	185	74	40.0%	50	27.0%	4	181	8.0%	92.0%
City of Del Mar	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
City of El Cajon	2,271	573	25.2%	182	8.0%	678	1,593	42.3%	57.7%
City of Encinitas	705	128	18.2%	49	7.0%	134	571	18.4%	81.6%
City of Escondido	4,747	835	17.6%	203	4.3%	2,143	2,604	41.4%	58.6%
City of Imperial Beach	437	137	31.4%	26	5.9%	183	254	0.0%	100.0%
City of La Mesa	1,158	595	51.4%	143	12.3%	347	811	23.1%	76.9%
City of Lemon Grove	1,172	249	21.2%	82	7.0%	513	659	30.5%	69.5%
City of National City	2,579	553	21.4%	101	3.9%	1,153	1,426	41.6%	58.4%
City of Oceanside	4,739	1,026	21.7%	317	6.7%	2,149	2,590	22.7%	77.3%
City of Poway	1,145	168	14.7%	44	3.8%	223	922	0.0%	100.0%
City of San Diego	31,052	7,627	24.6%	1,209	3.9%	11,457	19,595	37.0%	63.0%
City of San Marcos	3,026	411	13.6%	45	1.5%	1,221	1,805	91.1%	8.9%
City of Santee	1,142	338	29.6%	106	9.3%	426	716	40.6%	59.4%
City of Solana Beach	24	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	24	0.0%	0.0%
City of Vista	2,407	1,045	43.4%	226	9.4%	1,423	984	27.9%	72.1%
Unincorporated	12,933	3,742	28.9%	976	7.5%	5,087	7,846	23.6%	76.4%
San Diego County	80,349	19,409	24.2%	4,208	5.2%	30,432	49,917	30.0%	70.0%
California	1,133,196	241,415	21.3%	58,159	5.1%	455,597	677,599	39.7%	60.3%
United States	7,183,020	2,399,023	33.4%	895,698	12.5%	3,191,950	3,991,070	46.4%	53.6%

Number of Grandparents, 30 Years and Older, Living with Own Grandchild(ren)* by Municipality, 2020

*Grandparent, 30 years or older, living with own grandchildren under 18 years in households out of total population 30 years and older.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B10051.
Prepared by: County of San Diego, Health and Human Services Agency, Public Health Services, Community Health Statistics Unit, 2022.

Percent of Grandparents 30 Years and Older Raising Grandchild(ren)* Without Parent Present by Municipality, 2020

*Grandparents, 30 years or older, raising own grandchildren under 18 years in households out of total population 30 years and older.
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B10051.
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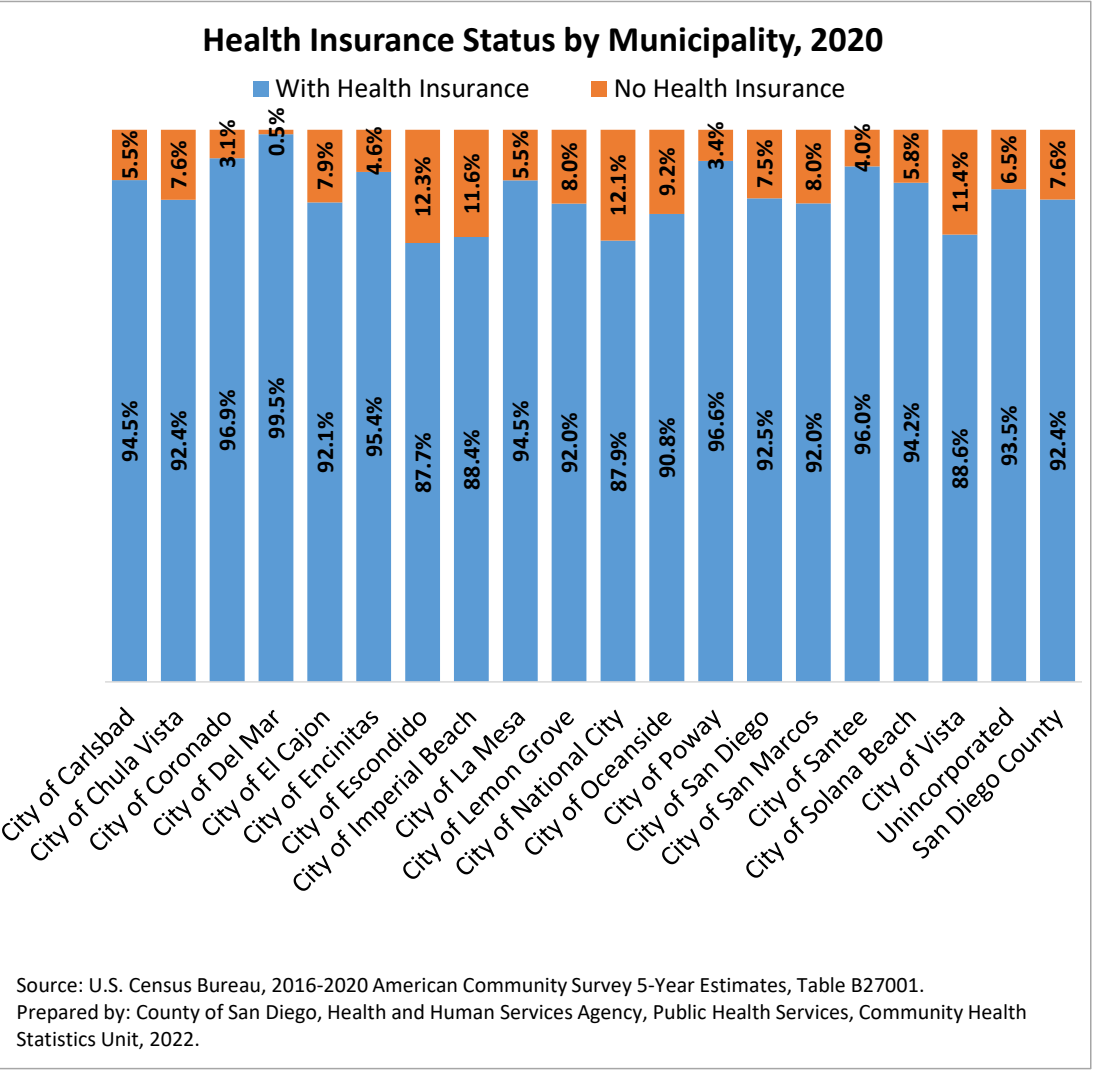
Health Insurance Status

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, Table B27001.

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Geography	With Health Insurance	No Health Insurance	0-18 w/ Health Insurance	19-25 w/ Health Insurance	26-44 w/ Health Insurance	45-64 w/ Health Insurance	65+ w/ Health Insurance
City of Carlsbad	94.5%	5.5%	96.9%	86.5%	92.1%	93.7%	99.1%
City of Chula Vista	92.4%	7.6%	96.0%	86.8%	89.0%	91.8%	97.6%
City of Coronado	96.9%	3.1%	98.4%	97.2%	90.7%	96.9%	100.0%
City of Del Mar	99.5%	0.5%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	98.8%	100.0%
City of El Cajon	92.1%	7.9%	95.1%	88.7%	88.4%	91.3%	98.2%
City of Encinitas	95.4%	4.6%	98.4%	93.9%	89.8%	95.3%	100.0%
City of Escondido	87.7%	12.3%	93.9%	76.7%	80.8%	87.8%	98.3%
City of Imperial Beach	88.4%	11.6%	95.4%	82.4%	82.0%	86.5%	99.0%
City of La Mesa	94.5%	5.5%	96.9%	87.1%	93.3%	93.8%	99.9%
City of Lemon Grove	92.0%	8.0%	94.6%	88.5%	87.2%	91.6%	99.0%
City of National City	87.9%	12.1%	92.9%	84.3%	82.8%	83.6%	98.5%
City of Oceanside	90.8%	9.2%	95.8%	86.3%	83.1%	91.2%	98.8%
City of Poway	96.6%	3.4%	97.8%	92.5%	94.9%	96.4%	99.1%
City of San Diego	92.5%	7.5%	96.4%	88.9%	88.7%	92.0%	99.0%
City of San Marcos	92.0%	8.0%	97.4%	85.2%	86.3%	90.8%	99.4%
City of Santee	96.0%	4.0%	98.1%	92.7%	93.9%	95.3%	99.1%
City of Solana Beach	94.2%	5.8%	93.4%	100.0%	84.2%	96.8%	100.0%
City of Vista	88.6%	11.4%	95.9%	84.7%	82.3%	85.0%	98.4%
Unincorporated	93.5%	6.5%	95.6%	89.8%	90.0%	92.5%	98.8%
San Diego County	92.4%	7.6%	96.1%	87.8%	88.2%	91.8%	98.9%
California	92.8%	7.2%	96.7%	89.0%	88.3%	91.6%	98.9%
United States	91.3%	8.7%	94.8%	85.7%	85.6%	90.6%	99.2%

Please note that beginning in 2017, age groups changed so the 2017 and 2018 data will not be comparable to previous years.

This indicator provides the percent of the civilian noninsitutionalized population with and without health insurance. It additionally provides the percentage of civilian noninstitutionalized population with health insurance in specific age groups.

How to interpret these data: In 2020, 92.4% of the civilian noninsitutionalized population in San Diego County had health insurance coverage and 7.6% did not. The percentage of children under the age of 19 without health insurance coverage was 3.9% (96.1% did have health insurance coverage).

Health Insurance Status by Municipality, 2020

Legend: ■ With Health Insurance ■ No Health Insurance

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Geography	Veterans by Age Group				
	18-34	35-54	55-64	65-74	75+
City of Carlsbad	3.3%	25.8%	18.0%	23.2%	29.7%
City of Chula Vista	12.5%	39.1%	18.2%	16.7%	13.5%
City of Coronado	10.8%	17.1%	19.6%	20.7%	31.9%
City of Del Mar	4.6%	30.8%	0.0%	12.4%	52.2%
City of El Cajon	17.3%	25.4%	19.7%	21.2%	16.4%
City of Encinitas	8.5%	25.2%	12.6%	31.7%	21.9%
City of Escondido	11.5%	25.1%	21.3%	17.7%	24.5%
City of Imperial Beach	14.5%	45.3%	16.6%	13.8%	9.7%
City of La Mesa	20.6%	32.6%	13.3%	15.4%	18.1%
City of Lemon Grove	17.0%	33.1%	13.9%	22.3%	13.8%
City of National City	20.5%	24.4%	20.5%	20.5%	14.0%
City of Oceanside	16.9%	23.4%	20.9%	20.7%	18.1%
City of Poway	11.8%	20.6%	19.2%	28.9%	19.6%
City of San Diego	16.9%	28.1%	16.1%	19.2%	19.7%
City of San Marcos	12.0%	24.6%	17.3%	24.9%	21.1%
City of Santee	16.8%	31.1%	15.9%	19.4%	16.8%
City of Solana Beach	1.3%	30.3%	12.1%	22.8%	33.4%
City of Vista	16.0%	34.5%	18.3%	14.9%	16.3%
Unincorporated	16.3%	23.4%	16.9%	22.7%	20.8%
San Diego County	15.5%	27.7%	17.2%	20.2%	19.5%
California	10.2%	21.9%	16.5%	25.0%	26.4%
United States	8.8%	23.4%	17.8%	26.1%	23.9%

This indicator provides the percentage of civilian veterans by age group.

Veterans are persons 18 years and over who ever served on active duty. A civilian veteran refers to persons 18 years or older who served on active duty in any military branch or served in the National Guard or military reserves (only those ever called or ordered to active duty were classified as veterans). It does not include persons currently in active duty.

How to interpret these data: About 40% of civilian veterans in San Diego County in 2020 were 65 years and over.

Veteran Status by Age Group by Municipality, 2020